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CIGIE/GAO 2015 Financial Statement Audit Conference

Tuesday, April 28, 2015

USDA Auditorium – 1400 Independence Ave., SW

Moderator – Dr. Brett Baker

- 7:30** **Registration**
- 8:25** **Welcome**
Dr. Brett Baker, Assistant Inspector General for Audit, NSF
- 8:30** **Opening Remarks**
Mary Mitchelson, Inspector General, Corporation for Public Broadcasting and Vice Chair of the CIGIE Audit Committee
Gary Engel, Managing Director, Financial Management and Assurance, GAO
- 8:40** **Circular A-123 Revisions**
Mike Wetklow, Branch Chief, Accountability, Performance, and Reporting Branch, Office of Federal Financial Management, OMB
- 9:30** **Improper Payments**
Berri Davis, Director, Financial Management and Assurance, GAO
- 10:20** **Break**
- 10:40** **GTAS and Closing Package Update**
Kirstie Pottmeyer, Section Chief, Financial Reports Division, Governmentwide Accounting, Bureau of the Fiscal Service, U.S. Department of the Treasury
- 11:30** **Lunch (on your own)**
Attendees are strongly encouraged to bring or purchase a lunch and eat in the USDA Cafeteria.
- 12:50** **Critical Thinking Skills**
Beth Hoffman León, Director, Audit, Inspection, and Evaluation Academy, CIGIE Training Institute
- 1:40** **Federal Accounting Standards**
Wendy Payne, Executive Director, Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board
- 2:30** **Break**
- 2:50** **DATA Act**
Karen Lee, Branch Chief, Management Controls and Accountability Branch, Office of Federal Financial Management, OMB
Christina Ho, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Office of Accounting Policy & Financial Transparency, U.S. Department of the Treasury
- 3:40** **Closing Remarks**
Dr. Brett Baker, Assistant Inspector General for Audit, NSF
- 3:50** **Adjourn**